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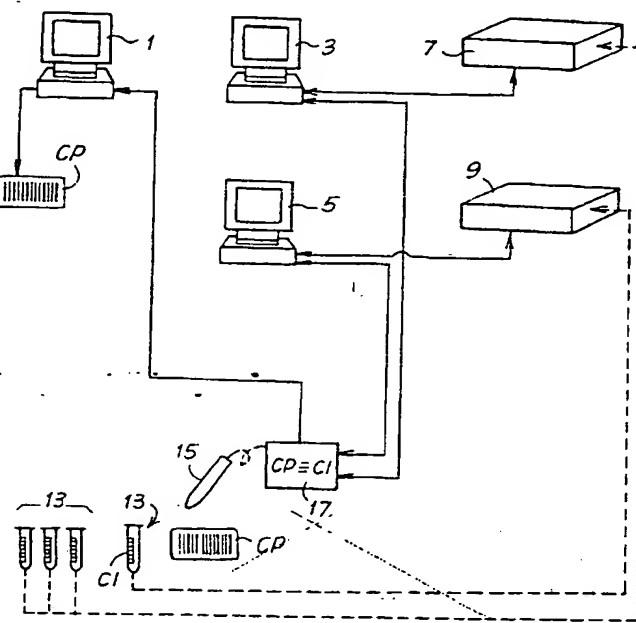
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(57) Abstract: A data processing system for data management in an analytical laboratory is described, and comprises, in combination, a central electronic computer (1) for acquiring the patient data, and for generating a patient code (CP) for each patient acquired; means (15) for acquiring an identification code (CI) associated with each container (13) for laboratory analysis; means (17) for combining each of said acquired identification codes with a corresponding patient code; at least one analyzer (7; 9) which carries out at least one analysis on a biological specimen contained in the containers placed in it.

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